

Posting for St. Ignace Area Schools

The Board of Education for St. Ignace Area Schools is in search of a new superintendent to begin July 1, 2021.

St. Ignace is the northern point where Lake Michigan and Lake Huron meet at the Straits of Mackinac and is considered the “Gateway to Michigan’s Upper Peninsula”. The natural beauty and the lengthy history of the area make it a huge tourist destination. The St. Ignace Area School District is comprised of the City of St. Ignace, Brevort Township, and St. Ignace Township. The district mission statement is to provide a learning environment that is welcoming, safe, and supportive and to focus all our resources on student success.

The Board is seeking a superintendent who is a strong, collaborative leader with a solid background in curriculum and school finance.

District values for new Superintendent: a visionary, a strong communicator with high integrity, trustworthy, dedication to education, collaborator who can maintain and expand partnerships, and with a passion to be a leader for St. Ignace Area Schools and community.

Current District Data:

- 482 students
- 27 Teachers
- 3 Administrators
- 2 Counselors/social workers
- 6 Paraprofessionals
- 6 Office Staff
- 10 Other staff
- 2 School buildings
- \$8,111 Foundation Allowance
- Annual operating budget
 - Revenue \$5,468,366 (will be adjusted before posting)
 - Expense \$6,096,440 (will be adjusted before posting)
- Current Fund Balance \$1,476,860
- Taxable Property Value (2019) \$152,672,457
- Non-Homestead Levy 18.0 levied July 1
- Debt Retirement 2.1 levied July 1
- District Accreditation through NCA/AdvancEd/Cognia continuously since 2010.

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Salary and Contract Information

The district will offer a competitive wage and full benefit package (salary range \$90,000 to \$100,000) that reflects the experience and education of the candidate chosen as the next Superintendent.

Search Timeline

Action	Date
Application deadline	February 8, 2021
Selection of candidates to interview	February, 15, 2021
First round interviews	February 22/23, 2021
Final interviews	March 1, 2021
Possible Site Visit to Candidate(s) District	TBD if desired
Possible Board Decision Date	March 8, 2021
Alternate Board Decision Date	March 15, 2021
Start date	July 1, 2021

Application Procedure

Qualified candidates should complete and submit an online application.

No "hard copy," fax or emailed copies accepted. IF requested by the candidate, materials will be treated confidentially through the screening process. Candidate names will become public at the time an interview is scheduled.

Questions regarding the search may be directed to Joe Powers, Executive Search Services Consultant, Michigan Association of School Boards, at 989.942.6551 or joepaulpowers@gmail.com.